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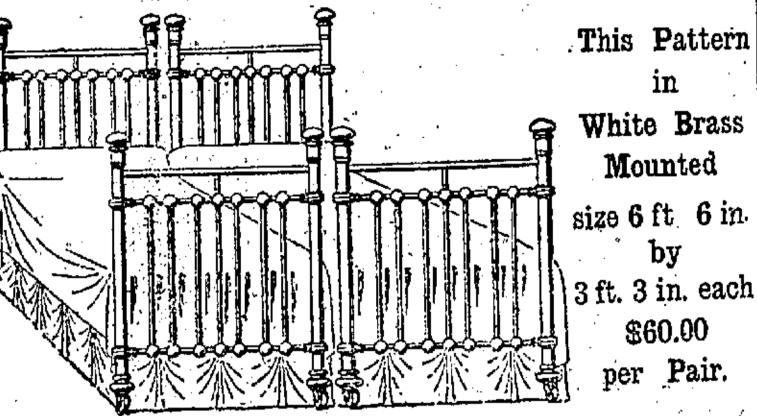
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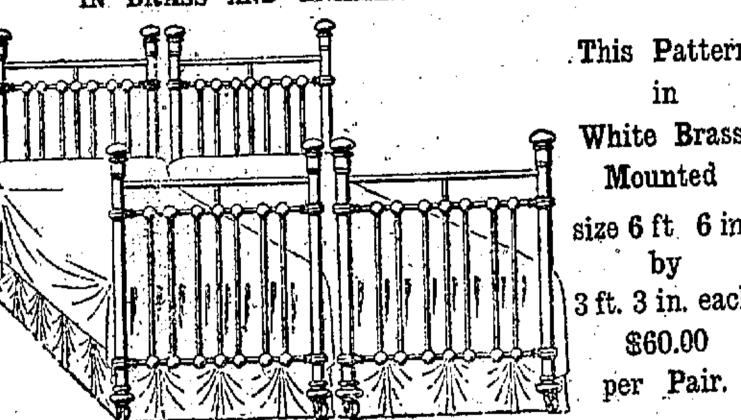
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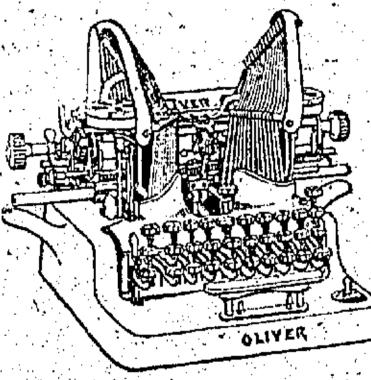
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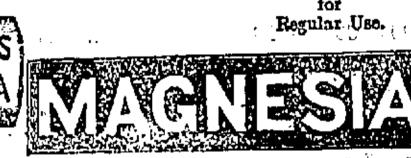
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The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from WEDNES-DAY, the 18th March to SATURDAY, been chosen captain of the team. the 21st March, both days inclusive. -SHEWAN, TOMES & CO.,

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Consulting Committee and to elect a Consulting Committee and Auditor.
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FOOTBALL.

Scottish Notes.

After the great drawn game played by both teams two weeks previous, it was expected that the replay at Throx between the Rangers and Falkirk would be worth seeing. In anticipation of this over 50,000 people turned out, and more than one thousand pounds was drawn at the gates. The realization of the anticipated was far from what was looked for from two teams of their standing in Scottish football, for rough play and quest amble tactics entered into the game. On the previous wock the Light Blues rose to the occasion, and for once delighted their supporters and surprised thoir opponents by their dashing play. The Falkirk team, on the other hand, failed to show any glimpses of their former brilliant play, and were quite unable to stand up against their more heavy opponents. Still according to latest files to hand, the Rangers have gained little credit by their victory, big though it was (four goals to nothing). At times, however, their forwards showed really protty play, and towards the end had matters all their own way. The Rangers now meet the Celtic in

the next round. The replay between the Queen's Park and St. Bernards resulted in another draw. the former scoring early in the game through a penalty, while the latter equalised just on the call of time. At the finish no further scoring had been registered, and another game had to be played, when the Queen's Park won by one goal to

LEAGUE RESULTS. St. Mirren heat Clyde by four goals to one, and the Celtic paid the same balance to Partick Thistle's account. The Hibernians had a similar score against the Airdriconians.

An unexpected performance was that of the Hamilton Academicals, who secured 816 two much need points at the expense of Aberdeen, whom they defeated by three goals to nothing. The latter team were without several of their best players, which had something to do with the poor show given. The match was played at Hamilton. Dundee and Motherwell shared the points between them, without scoring, while the Third Lanark and Port Glasgow Athletic

One of the surprises of the day was the defeat of the Hearts by Kilmarnock, the score being two goals to nothing. This makes the Heart's tenth time on which they have been on the losing side in League matches, and as they stand at present their register of points is less than a point per match.

The result of these performances as a whole has been to considerably strengthen the prospects of the championship remaining at Parkhead.

RANDOM NOTES. The Light Blues are the only team so far

Craig, the Ranger's back, and O'Hagan,

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lose face in consequence. The cult of

auxiety to see a University established

we lose sight of the immense value that

Queen's College has been to the Colony

Our wish is to see the work which

extended. When the matter comes

be seriously considered by the Govern-

ment, and we trust that this will be

while to consider how far it would be

possible to create the University by

with all deference because we do not

pretend to know what obstacles may

exist. At first blush it seems to us that

the propagation of Queen's College to the

status of a University and a consequent

readiustment of the status of the educa-

riogal institutions of the Colony would be

better than inaugurating an entirely

new institution. But this is where the

weight of special knowledge would be

invaluable. Would it be too much to

expect those who have the special know-

and annual cost of such an establish-

ment to come forward and give such

information as they may possess. We

are not yearning after any more Com-

paper, and we venture to say of the

other papers of the Colony, are available

make the concoction more palatable.

is to be hoped that in regard to this

that a great number of people take :

deep interest, that some of that public

spirit which we have made it's special

duty to quicken to increased activity

The idiocy of some of the Labour

demonstrated in a striking manner

with Bulgarians. These hapless persons

such an insinuation with scorn.

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muke the high water mark of sheer

impudence. He audaciously affirms

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engineered by political adventurers

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MARRIAGE. F HENDERSON-CHESNEY .- On January 29, 1908, at Stranord, West Kilbride, James A. Russell Henderson, B.s.C., F.C.s., Professor of Chemistry, Chihli Provincial College, Pastingfu, to Jean, daughter of before very long, it might be worth the late James Chesney, Glasgow and West

MEMOS FOR TO-MORROW. Amusements.

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General Memoranda.

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addressed to The Editor.

Correspondents must forward their names from time to time. Just now and addresses with any communications addressed to the Editor, not for publication but and placing large orders for sackcloth as evidence of good faith.

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a.m. New Advertisements should be sent to public. Evidently Australia does not our Office at 8, Queen's Road Central before Iraming legislation-although to do Advertisements and Subscriptions which are them justice they would probably repel

The China Mail.

HONGKOND, TURBUAY, MARCH 10, 1908.

THE LOCAL UNIVERSITY.

EVIDENCE accumulates to show the value that at was common ground between of the arguments in favour of the His Excellency and himself that the institution of a local University at longkong, a project that we are proud o know has the invaluable support His Excellency the Governor. In our issue of yesterday we recorded that Mr Wong Ming, a former student and Master of Queen's College, had been rebuke from Sir Matthew. We know appointed to an important official His Excellency well enough to be sure position in the Viceroy's Yamen at Cap- that Mr Jellicoe's impertment letter ton. It was also mentioned that the drew a scoreling response. And, as official whose place he took, who had the scorefied child-dreads the fire, unless been transferred to Swatow, was likewise a graduate from Queen's College I proof were needed of the value of

University in bettering the relations According to the "Nation" New between the Chinese and ourselves this York. America is going the whole hog paragraph referred to would supply it. regard to militarism. The phrase more than a million dollars a day for The old days of isolation are gone for lover and the Chinese official of the military purposes' is eagerly seized upon

future who is ambitious must have a by our contemporary to head the American people off the path into which the thorough knowledge of things. Western impetuous Mr Roosevelt and others seek at his finger-ends. Even if in gaining to direct them. It has been pointed out hat knowledge he has to neglect some. by Congressman Towney that this stupendous sum of \$406,011,216 is asked for simply for the military side of the government, and is larger than appropriations for the entire expenses of must not be supposed that in our

the government for any fiscal year since the civil war down to 1890, and not appreciately less than appropriations for any fiscal year prior to 1897, for the Spanish-American war. But there has the College has done so admirably to be added to this large total \$21,000,000 paid out for the maintenance of the Navy Department nor the forty millions asked for the construction of new battleships. If what the 'Nation' describes as Mr Roosevelt's every day in sthe year. We are aware of course that America has money to burn but really this seems to be burning it up with a little too much

INQUIRIES.

At the Magistracy to-day an onquiry was the hospital where he was identified as was aroused and it was decided to release ledge necessary to express an opinion in Chan Ki Sang and, to the injuries which him. he received he succumbed later in the missidventure was returned.

The circumstance surrounding the death permission to return, but was refused. speak are aware that the columns of this | turned by the jury accordingly.

SUBSIDIARY COINAGE.

At the Y.M.C.A. Parliamentary Debat ing Society on Monday evening the Premier, Mr S. Kingsbury, moved a Bill sympathy expressed in his behalf by "To prohibit the Importation of Foreign matter, in which we know, privately, Subsidiary Coin." He gave a facid account of the growth of the evil, beginning from the time when the Chinese were well content to transact their business in the cash and no 'subsidiary' i.e., 'helping' coin, until they reached the dellar. He then explained the policy of our Government in supplying the need t was a need up to that time not inspired legislation of which Australia recognised by the Chinese themselves; and Communications relating to news should be appears to be inordinately proud is showed how the Chinese recognised the profitableness of minting and readily folthe lowed in our footstops with a reliable sub-Australian press is wringing its hands and ashes because Sydney is, in a manner

sidiary system which very soon not only deprived us of any advantage but saddled us with the present unsatisfactory burden. Captain Brown made an able criticism of the Bill as it stands, and was followed by Messrs Lowry, Jillings, McPherson, Fuller, Sutton, Edwards and Captain Baker. Next week the Minister of Education anti-opiumists a Singapore paper says there age and possess no means, but they have will introduce a Bill to found a University

> of Hongkong. SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

The Raja of Sarawak leaves Murseilles men who in the very nature of things for Singapore on March 45.

Colonel John S. Mosby, at one tim U. S. Consul here, has published in America a book entitled "Stuart's Cavalry in the Gettysburg Campaign.

Mr E. O. Murphy, of Messrs Bailey and Murphy, the well-known engineers, returned yesterday with Mrs Murphy and family, from a lengthy holiday abroad. Mr. and Mrs Murphy were passengers by the Empress of India.

M. Shipoff, formerly Minister of Finance, who only recently returned from a tour in he belongs he took especial care to get the Far East, has been appointed Russian safely out of Natal before firing his Minister of Commerce in succession to the broad side. His letter to Sir Matthew late M. Filossofoff, says a Reuter telegram charge of 15 sen is paid, and will notify the Nathan, our former Governor, seems to from St. Potersburg. The statement that sender of the time when delivery was made. he would be appointed Ambassador at Tekyo is incorrect.

general of the Philippines Carnival play the following programme of music, at Manila. The mumbers of the Carnival permiting). Association, the Elka Dragoon Guards, March Wiener Kinder ... Krimmling and the Carnival Guard of the V.A.P. Overture ... The Barber of Seville gave him a great send-off. The Con- Selection ... Miss Hook of Holland stabulary band headed a procession of cars. and accompanied the escort to the steamer Waltz The Blue Danube ... Strauss loving cup. Captain Langhorne proceeds to America via Suez.

Mr. B. G. Scoane, the newly appointed Consul General for Peru, took up his post oarly this month and he was recognized by SUDDEN ATTACK, OF DYSENTERY all sense has been scorched out of it, Mr the Hongkong Government on the 6th Jellicos will probably not trouble to inst. Mr. Secano's father, who is permanent Procurator General of the Supreme Tribunal of the Republic, is at present in Chile, as Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipatentiary in that Court. Mr. A. Silva, the Secretary, has been doing the work of the Consulate since the departure of Consul, Mr D. E. Pereira, and has proved

himself quite an able assistant.

·PRESIDENTIAL ELECTION.

Governor Hughes.

(Exclusive Service, supplied by Renter, via Bombay.)

LONDON, March 8.

The Republican Convention of New French force at Ainsfra, has telegraphed ork has adopted Governor Hughes as to Paris that a force of Moors numbering its candidate for the Presidency of the about 4000 men, is collecting on the United States. •

DR SUN YAT SEN.

In Hongkong.

Dr Sun Yat Sen, the notorious rebel leader, for whose capture the Chinese 'military mania" is to be allowed full Government has offered the magnificent sway the great Republic will expend sum of \$200,000, is in Hongkoug at preexpanding the functions of Queen's \$407,000,000 in 1908-09, a trifle amount- sent. He is on board one of the Japanese College. We advance this suggestion ing to one and one third millions for steamers in the harbour, having come up from Singapore on his way to Japan, accompanied by a few of his followers. During his short stay here be will not go ashore. Our informant, who is one of

Sun's party, is very reticent about the

movements of the Doctor. Dr. Sun Yat Son was ordered to be banished from the Colony of Hongkong in 1896 for a period of five years, on the charge of having formed a conspiracy Chief Officer of the Ward line running out against the Chinese government. Howheld before Mr H. H. J. Gompertz, who ever he left the colony before the issuance sat as Coroner, into the circumstance at of the order of banishment and proceeded tending the death of a Chinaman who was to England, were he was shortly ofterwards knocked down by one train when he jump- kidnapped and confined in the Chinese ed from another tram in Des Voeux Road Embassy the object being to return hini to on the 1st instant. He was removed to China. The opinion of the English people

Upon obtaining his release, Dr. Sun Yat hospital. The jury found that no one was Son immediately proceeded to Japan, ting a University and the probable first to blame, and a verdict of death from whence he communicated with the Government of the Colony of Hongkong asking

of Wong Wun, a prisoner in the Victoria! The matter attracted a great deal of gaol, was also enquired into at the Magis- attention in the House of Commons, where tracy to-day. Medical testimony was to the late Mr. Davitt championed the cause the effect than death was due to natural of Dr. Sun Yat. Sen. Strick inquiry was missions. These who are qualified to causes and a verdict to that effect was re- made into the manner by which the order of banishment was made. It was found that the steps taken by the Governor-in-Council Ind been legal, and it was also pointed out that Dr. Sun Yat Sen had left the Colony before the order was issued. However, there was much

statesmen and the press. Since the expiration of the sentence of banishment on March 4, 1901, Dr. Sun Yat Sen has visited the Colony and has been influential in the affairs of Province of Kwang-tung in South China. After receiving his education at Honolulu in Hawaii, he subsequently passed as doctor in the local Alice Memorial Hospifor other subsidiary coins although tal, He later set up a dispensary in Macso He is a man of refinement, and has much influence among his countrymen.

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

The Manila carnival is pronounced by the Manila papers to luve been a huge success, aftracting 25,000 people. The

carnival will more than pay its expenses.

Commenting on the campaign of the is no love lost between the missionaries and the trading classes in the Coast Ports army under the control of the late Tung

.H. E. Yang, Shih-hsiang, Acting Viceroy of Chihli, it is reported, has been granted leave to issue bonds for a domestic loan of Tls. 5,000,000, for the purpose of re-organizing the Pelyang Army.

of China.

The U.S. war department is making preparations to send eight companies of coast artillery to the l'hilippines to take charge of the fortifications on Grande Island and Corregidor. This looks like

The Japanese Official Gazette ancomplications between the two counnounced on Feb. 27, that on and after April 1, Post Offices will give receipts, stating the time of receipt at the office. for all mail matter on which an extra

By kind permission of Lt.-Col. M. S. Rinch and Officers, the Band of the 2nd Captain George T. Langhorne, director Queon's Own Cameron Highlanders will Association, and the heart and soul of the King Edward Hotel, during dinner, on the Carnival project, arrived to-day from Thursday, the 21th March, 1908. (We then

> Rubens and Talbot Polouaise Maskin Faust La Mattchiche Borel Clere

CURED. PROMINENT lady of Brooklyn, A New York, U.S.A., writes to quire where she can obtain Chamberlain's Colic Cholera and Diarrhoes Rewedy. She Bays: While otopping at a rench South Dakota I was taken ill of what seemed to bacholera. They gave me some of this medicine, and it cured me. brought a bottle home and have just used the last of it to-day." For sale by all

beniss and storekeepers.

GOD SAVE THE KING.

FIGHTING IN MOROCCO.

Moors Concentrating.

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General Baillond, commanding the Algerian frontier in favour of the cause of Mulai Hafid

CAPTAIN HATHAWAY

Dies Suddenly.

(From Our Correspondent.) Shanghar, March 10.

Captain R. H. Hathaway, of the Pacific Mail: Steamer Mongolia, died suddenly in the Agent's office here this

[Captain Hathaway arrived in Hongkong in January, 1907, in command of the "Mongolia," having taken over the com. mand from Captain Portor. Prior tojoining the Pacific Mail s.s. Co., he was of New York. Captain Hatlaway's wife died in New York about two months ago. Three children survive and are all at school at San Francisco. - En., C. M.]

FATALITY AT SHANGHAI.

Death of Mr Ballard.

(From Our Correspondent.)

Shanghai, March 10. Mr J. A. Ballard has succumbed to

injuries received by a fall down stairs.

We regret to have to report the continue ed serious illness of Mr J. A. Ballard of Messrs Ballard and Hunter. Mr Ballard met with an accident on the morning of February 22 when he was leaving home toproceed to business. Mr Ballard was descending the stairs when he suddenly became unconscious and fell, breaking his nose and injuring his head. On regaining consciousness he was able to get up and struggle to his room. Dr Jackson was called in and he found that Mr Ballard had fractured his nose badly and recommended that he be sent to the Nursing Home. During sucthe reactionary party in the Colony. He ceeding days - Mr Ballard experienced neighbouring province with the clumsy is a native of Huengshah district, in the frequent lapses of memory and he remainsmore or less in this condition at the present time. His state is regarded as sufficiently serious to warrant cabling for Mrs Ballard, and also for his partner, Mr A. C. Hunter,

> TUNG FU HSIANG'S ARMY.

who is at present in Europe.-"N.-C.

Daily News."

(Ohinese Mail's Service.)

PEKING, March 9. Sheng Yun, the Governor of Shensi, has telegraphed to the Peking Government for instructions as to what steps should be taken to deal with the large

Fu Hsiang, the Boxer-leader.

ARMS FOR CHINA. (Chinese Muil's Service.)

PEKING, March 9 The Japanese Minister, it is stated, has wired to the Tokyo Government urging the advisability of prohibiting the exportation of arms and ammunition to China to avoid future diplomatic-

[REUTER'S SERVICE.] LAUNCH OF A GERMAN BATTLESHIP.

LONDON, March 8. The first German Dreadnought has been launched at Wilhelmshaven and

THE KAISER AND LORD TWEEDMOUTH.

christened the "Nassan."

LONDON, March S. The "Daily Telegraph" and The "Daily Mail" say that the Kaiser's letter was a colloquial document written. as from one friend to another after the-Kaiser's visit to England when His Majesty had many pacific conversations with Lord Tweedmouth. It expresses disappointment at the tone of the press moval criticisms and especially with Lord Esher's letter of the 6th February, in which he said that there was not a man in Germany, trom the Emperor downwards, who would not welcome the full of Admiral Fielter. The personal tone of the Kaiser's letter makes its publication impossible. Lord Esher being characterised in it very unceremoniculy.

THE SEIZED STEAMER.

[REUTER'S SERVICE.]

REUTER'S INFORMATION.

London, March 8. Router's learn that China has apologised to Japan for hauling down the European Governments are on the alert. flag of the Tatsu Maru and, promises to punish the responsible officials.

China will reply later concerning the seizure of arms and ammunition.

against the seizure of the Tatsu Maru. should the seizure have occurred in Portuguese waters.

China replies that it occurred on the high seas, and that Portuguese territory was not violated.

CANTON VICEROY DISAGREES WITH PEKING.

Witnesses Go to Poking.

(From Our Correspondent.) CANTON, March 9.

Intense satisfaction was felt throughout the city to-day at the attitude of the Yiceroy, towards the case of the Tatsu Maru. From official quarters we gather the information that yielding to the persistent and strong representations from the Japanese Minister, and acting on the advice of the Inspector General of Customs, Sir Robert Hart, the Peking Government wired to the Canton Viceroy to release the vessel, to punish the Admiral, and to lodge an apology with the Japanese Consulate at Canton.

The announcement of the receipt of the message from Peking created a sensation both in official circles and among the whole community.. This was responsible for the mass meeting summoned by the Self Government Society in order to take steps to back up the Canton Government which, it was known, had all along adopted a very strong attitude with regard to the advisableness of confiscating the vessel.

The Viceroy was profoundly surprised at the weakness of the Peking Government, be here for some time. and has expressed the opinion that undoubtedly the Peking Government has not | Ching " left on 29th ult., for the North, been fully acquainted with all details in where she will be engaged in putting up a in frequency out of all proportion to both connection with the seizure and did not realise the seriousness of the situation.

He duly wired a reply to the Waiwupu to that effect. In the message, he stated that it was not at all difficult for him to act on their instructions, in which case all China's treaties with foreign countries | came in on the 3rd, from Shanghai, and should be at once destroyed. It would be took down coolies for Hongkong and Singadeplorable to expect the officials to conduct ! future negotiations, and the whole Empire would be broken up. Who, in future would do their duty if officials were punished for carrying out legitimate instructions ! In order to put the Peking Government in a botter position the Viceroy ordered the transference of the case, together with all each trip. A large quantity of Kerosene details, to Peking.

Orders were yesterday given by the Viceroy to the Commander of the Cruiser down buoys just now off their new tank Po Pik, and Wu King Wing to leave for which has been finished some time, and · Pekin. The party accompanied by three Europeans of the Pak Kong Customs, who charge oil at any state of the tide, while were present when the seizure took place, moored close up. took their official departure from the Viceroy yesterday.

Result of the Mass Meeting.

Canton, March 9. At a meeting held at the premises of the display: -Self-Government Society, in connection in the event of the Chinese Government much appreciated by all present. Dancing mittees gratification that the amount suspect on such evidence being laid before deciding to surrender the vessel. The was continued into the small hours of the carried forward on 1907 account is again of him as would, in his opinion, yu tify the

present stage it was yet premature to take enjoyable one. retaliatory measures. Resolutions for the despatch of a cable to Peking resisting the . Another gale broke on us, early Wednessurrender was agreed upon. Other re- day morning, and, "raged" more or less solutions as to securing the co-operation all day, with heavy rain at times. To-day of all provinces and Chinese abroad, were is quiet again, but rain still continues. also, passed, and wires have been duly The streets of Amoy city just now are Gubbay. despatched to the eighteen provinces of unspeakable, and had luck to the stranger China and to all ports where there were who finds himself walking them. Amoy Chinese, asking them to protest against the still holds the ribbon for being the dirtiest Japanese Government by wiring to the city in this Empire, and nothing seems to

. Reported Release of Steamer.

Peking Government.

A rumour was current in the city to-day among the Chinese community that the Godliness" is a well known saying, and vessel has been released. 'A representative one of the primary duties of Missionaries of this paper called at the Japanese Con- must be to impress on the minds of these sulate here to enquire if such was the case, people the idea that they must be clean but he was informed that no information at all costs. of the kind had been received from Canton The Japanese Consul referred him to Mossrs Ataka and Co., the local agents of the seized vessel, who gave a similar reply.

Answer to Sir Robert Hart.

Information to hand this afternoon from our Canton Correspondent is to the effect that the officials concerned have wired an explanation to the seventeen paragraphs written by the Inspector General on which he based his opinion in favour of an amicable settlement with the Japanese Government with regard to the Tatsu Maru.

The officials stated that upon referring to the agreement between China and last month a coffin containing remains of a Portugal no marine right has over been Chinese official was sent down from Shangtransferred to Portugal, which was proved had on board the China Merchants steamer by Chinese experters have always to without further trouble.

notify the Customs there. This shows clearly that Portugal has not the least right to interfere in the present case.

Feeling in the United States.

New York, March 4. It is generally believed that the situation in the Far East as between China and Japan is strained. Both Washington and

Japan's Attitude.

Tokyo, March 4.

Portugal has protested to Peking and the Viceroy at Canton have been recoived in Tokyo to-day, and though China does not necessarily reject Japan's demand Clarke, Ho Fook and Wong Loung Hin. for the immediate release of the Tatsu Maru, with an apology and compensation the meeting. for her seizure, the reply is stated to be unconvincing and unsatisfactory.

plying in Chinese waters.

a third Power as arbiter.

conditions and intimates time she made was of a character time we do do Governor orders one of the Magistrates the case. On the contrary, the production to have the manual beautiful before him. herself free to take any action she insure, moreover the terms of the pleases in the matter. The seizure of the panies in Japan and the conditions on to have the accused brought before him of natural wine had actually been restrict-Tatsu Maru, she points out, is also causing which they do business are such as to and to enquire into the charge. The Tatsu Maru, she points out, is also causing which they do mismess are such as to Magisterial enquiry is conducted in the same wino is about a third, less than that considerable annoyance to the Chinese and preclude foreign companies from comforeign consignors of her cargo, which amounts to about 3,000 tons.

NEW YORK, March 6. Information from Washington states that it is reported unofficially from Peking that Japan has threatened to use force unless satisfaction is accorded her in the enselof the Tatsu Maru.

Baron Takahira, the Japanese Ambassador, has conferred with Mr Eliku Root, Secretary of State. In an interview the Ambassador expresses his opinion that China will yield

AMOY NEWS.

Auov, March 5.

NAVAL NEWS. The S. M. S. " Leipzig," arrived in port

on the 27th alt., from Hongkong, and will

new lighthouse between Wenchow and the size and the population of the Settle-

The S. M. S. "Jaguar," arrived here on 2nd inst., from Shanghai.

SHIPPING. The Hamburg-Amerika S.S. "Slavonia" pore, leaving again the next-day.

appointed a pilot at Singapore. ... Japanese steamers running to Tamsui.

are doing well, and are getting full cargoes Oil is finding its way over-

The Standard Oil Company are Javing steamers are expected to be able to dis

gglhards. A Billiard Tournament with Handicaps, was concluded last week at the Amoy Club, the final match tying hetween Messrs.

be done by the officials to remedy this evil. against these, when their surroundings are seconded by Wong Leung Hin. such as they are. "Cleanliness is next to

A daughter was born to Mrs Anderson wife of Mr H. P. Anderson of the Anglo-Chinese College, on Sunday, the 1st March. and both mother and daughter are doing

FENCING CLUG. Practices are to be held on Tuesdays and Fridays in the Amoy Club Theatre, commencing on 10th inst. The membership of this Club now numbers about a dozen

THE UNCLAIMED COFFIN.

(From Our Correspondent.) CANTON. March 9 ..

It will be remembered that some time mail steamers when calling at Macao Yang Wing, a Prefect at Kansu, has now for the transhipment of opium to America claimed it, and it was duly handed over

HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE CO. LTD.

Meeting Of Shareholders.

The thirty-ninth ordinary meeting thareholders in the Hongkong Fi. Insurance Company, Limited, was held at 12.30 to-day. The Hon. Mr H. Keswick was in the chair and there were als present :-Sir Paul Chater, Messrs Maitland, C. S. Gubbay, H. P. White, L. N. Lecte (Secretary) J. M. E. Machado, The replies of the Peking Government H. P. Smith, B. D. Gadzar, F. da Gomes, H. L. Hutchison, W. H. Potts, Captain The Secretary read the notice convening

The Chairman - Gentlemen. The report follows: and accounts have been in your hands for. fact that they will take what stops they some days and I will therefore with your the alleged crime has been committed fordeem suitable if China remains evasive, as permission take them as read. The result wards a requisition to the British Consulat the failure to make reparation for the of the year's working (1906) is a profit of his Provincial City for transmission gratulate ourselves, especially in view of the the Governor to hand over the Chinese number of serious fires that have occurred subject charged with committing the offence since our last meeting. The most to a Chinese officer specially detailed China has intimated her readiness to disastrous outbreak was of course that in for the duty; this requisition conrelease the Tatsu Maru on the deposition Hakodate, which took place last August, tains a specific undertaking by the Viceroy of security and to apologize for the arrest. and by which a large portion of the town that the accused, if handed over, will be She insists, however, on detaining the was entirely destroyed and losses were tried in the presence of a British Consular arms and ammunition pending further occasioned that taxed the resources of Officer for the offence in respect of which investigation, for which sho is nominating some of the Japanese Companies to the his extradition is demanded and for no utmost. Our own loss was not severe, other offence; and this undertaking is Japan has peremptorily refused these as a good deal of the property burnt invariably carried out. conditions and intimates that she holds was of a character that we do not Upon receipt of this requisition the precione foreign companies that manner as in the case of a person accused under cultivations for the same purpose

opportunities of increasing your business ! there on safe lines. 'You will also recollect that in September a serious fire occurred in Kobe, causing the destruction of two first \ telass foreign godowns from loss on whichhowever, we fortunately escaped altogether. Three severe mes occurred in Landau g such application is made; the Governor from 29 to 35 francs; in 1905, from 12 to The early part of last year hearly manifest may order the accused to be handed over 17 francs; and in 1906, from 13 to 18 to the more Chinese official who conducts the destruction in April last of a hemp to the proper Chinese official, who conducts francs. from four to five lacs of dollars. The position in Shanghai to which my predecessor in the chair made reference! hst year has undergone an The Customs Revenue Cruisor, "Ping-ment, and it appears that a successful check has been put to the fires in native property which had

ments. The activity of the new Chinese companies has, however, produced a competition for a certain class of business in the face of which a considerable reduction in the rates would appear to be inevitable and it is impossible to foretell at this period what steps the combined foreign

fire insurance companies be glad to learn that by the recent severe surrendered. The "Hong Moh" arrived on 2nd inst., fires in the Kinking and Yuen Ming with a new Captain in command, Capt. Yuen Roads, Shanghai, our loss has proved to be quite triffing. Dealing with the t Dawson, the former chief, having been to be quite trining. Doming with little variation in the figures for 1906 we have to notice a In May and Tone 1905 the present the come which I think is traceout to go be go being stands in the Chinese Authorities and seven-leaqued strates. The in the foreign settlement of Shanghai depression, 1906 was not a year of very bare no locus stands in these proceedings. depression, 1900 was not a year of the law orthodition is an ordentive active trade and our premium income bears have no locus stands in these proceedings, one and three quarter million france.—say says that exceptional force was needed to expected, a slight advance; other items, I think, call for no special comment. Your

committee decided to vote a bonus to the staff of 10 per cent, upon their salaries have been conducted by the Police with staff of 10 per cent, upon their such sometimes of without the assistance of myself or my has given M. Caillaux no small amount. Judge Wilfley's action, and says that the to this has been debited to "Charges", which I trust has your approval. This is,

but your Consulting Committee will with the double duty of prosecuting and not I venture to think be blamed for advising the Government. their house on Wednesday evening at 9 considering the necessities of the reserve. In order to prevent the escape of a All sorts of proposals were submitted for p.m. for dancing. The music was supplied fund which the nature of the business suspected criminal ponding the arrival of a retaliating measure against the Japanese by the Band of the "Leipzig," and was at high forman Vermill aband was a first forman Comat high figure. You will share your Com- empowered to arrest and detain the

A. J. Raymond whose impending departure order thereon.

Report and Accounts I shall be glad to

The Spring is on us, and with it every year of the Chairman seconded by Mr White-Maitland were re-elected to the Consulting one of the provisions of the Ordinance, the countries, the same hovering fear of have the people to fight successfully Committee on the motion of He Fook, Ma istrate used another wrong form after a slockening in business, the same The Chairman proposed the re-election requisition. of Messrs W. H. Potts and H. P. Smith

ness of the meeting. Dividend warrants will to the evidence against the accused. be ready this afternoon. Thank you for your attendance.

SPORTING.

Athletics.

THE CARRISON ARTILLERY SPORTS. The Royal Garrison Artillery will hold their annual sports on the United Service Recreation Ground, Kowloon, on Thursday and Friday next, commencing at 2 p.m. each day. The committee in charge of the sports is a strong one, with Captain Butcher, R.G.A., as President. The programme is an interesting one, but no events are open to civilians, the 220 yards which was included last year being absent. During the sports the Band of the Third Middlesex Regiment will play selections.

and dead seated and muscular pains. For sale by all chemists and storekeepers.

CORRESPONDENCE.

EXTRADITION OF OHINESE.

(To the Editor of the "China Mart,") Str. -In view of the many misleading and incorrect statements, reflecting not only on the action of the Colonial Government and its officers, but also on the couduct of the Chinese Government and Chinese officials, which have appeared in the local press [not the China Mari-En. O. M.] on the subject of the extradition of Chinese, I am directed to request you to be good enough to publish this letter for the information of your readers.

The handing over to China of Chinese subjects accused of committing crimes in China and found in this Colony is regulated by Treaty and by local Ordinance.

The Viceroy of the Province in which

British subject charged with a crime. the Magistrate to the Governor together about by the Brussels' Convention. judge of the Provincial City whence therequisition commated. Such trial is held in the presence of a British Consular Officer. and unless the accused is then convicted of the offence in respect of which he has been handed over, he is restored to British

Territory and set at liberty. If the accused has resided for a year or upwards in Hon kong, the depositions and Magistrate's report thereon must be considered by the Governor in Council with the assistance of the Chief Justice. If the offence in respect of which the

surrender of the accused is demanded is of a political character, or if he proved that his surrender has been demanded in order to try or punish him for an offence of a You will political character, the accused cannot be No person is surrendered unless he is a

figures for 1906 we have to house a In May and June, 1905, the present Chief reduction of \$21,000 in the premium inlarge that of automobiles, is Shanghai.

In May and June, 1905, the present Chief undergoing a severe strain. In a decade The President goes into the conditions and the conditions of the present Chief that the Chinese Authorities it has made seven-leagued strides. The in the foreign settlement of Shanghai pointed out that the Chinese Authorities it has made seven-leagued strides. The

active trade and our premium moonic ocars as extendition is an executive act of the a favourable comparison with that of the as extendition is an executive act of the 470,000. In 1906, the value had risen to clean out the Augean stable of crime there, an equivalent of £51 millions sterling. But, the Chinese Government. The Hodekova an equivalent of £51 millions sterling. But, years preceding 1900. Losson in the Chinese Government. The Hodgkong there has been undoubted over-produc-Income from interest shows, as is to be Government is bound to act on the requisition and the ensuing proceedings are between the Crown and the accused. Since that decision all extradition proceedings

If the case comes before the Supreme as you are aware, the first distribution of Court the Chinese Government cannot be profits to be made since the revision of the heard there, only the Crown and the Articles of Association last year and I hopo accused have any locus standi, and conse-Articles of Association lass your and a share quently the conduct of the case for the French Government. Old Age Pensions that the proposed dividend of \$27 a share quently the conduct of the case for the French Government. Old Age Pensions and an appropriation to reserve of \$67,400 Crownnecessarily develves on the Attorney somewhat easily, after an interesting will have your approval. It may have General instructed by myself. In these, been thought by some shareholders as in all Criminal proceedings, the Law that a larger dividend could be paid. Officers here, as in England, are charged

Chairman, however, intimated that at the morning, and the evening was an entirely an encouraging character which augurs well issue of a warrant if the crime had been for the minimum to the formost that they proceeding can be taken until the requisit The figures 12, 7 and 2 express the pro- Formosa Channel and the N. part of the

from the Board on which he had served for requisition from the Viceroy was in the reliable figures are easily available. He some ten years. The vacancy thus created usual form and contained the usual engage- would be a rash prophet who would dare has been filled by inviting Mr C. S. ment securing a trial in the presence of a to predict the outcome of the present state Consular Officer limited to the charge en- of officies in the country of the Maghzen. Before moving the adoption of the quired into by the Hongkong Magistrate. The officers of the Magistracy, using answer any questions that you may desire forms similar to those at the Bow Street Police Court in London, had previously

There were no questions and the report | caused In Ki Shing's arrest as a suspect and accounts were adopted on the motion upon an information and warrant, which France. the Full Court held to be technically de- progress of wealth realised with greater Sir Paul Chater, Messrs White and fective, and, owing to a misconstruction of prudence and slowness than in new The Full Court hold that the proceedings mitigated socialism. The volume and

not disagree, with the view taken by the was omitted and continuous throughout Palnier and Turner 25 311 The Chairman—That concludes the busi- Magistrate and Mr Justice Wise with regard | the whole period. Even agriculture shared A. Ross & Co., The Full Court also decided that the showed a surplus of over £5 millions! and Yokohama Specie Bank engagement above referred to must be the Chancellor of the Exchequer was able to Kruse & Co., ...

> Hitherto the Viceroy's engagement has Pensions has been promised. The Prime F. Hinds... on this decision. been accepted and has, I believe, been in- Minister, pressed by the Labour Party, Kelly and Walsh variably carried out, but in future an now, for the first time in the annals of B. Hayton engagement will be required from the Central Government at Peking.

Yours, etc., F. B. L. BOWLEY. Crown Solicitor.

DO NOT UROWD THE SEASON.

THE first warm days of spring bring

with them a desire to get out and on joy the exhibitating air and sunshine. Culldren that have been housed up all winter are brought out and you wonder where they all came from. The heavy winter clothing is thrown saide, a cold wave this season are even more dangerous than | Every one has heard of the wild threats come near the vicinity the Pak Kong It appears that the coffin contained the Customs have to be notified. American remains of an admiral, whose son; Tang makes it a favorite with sufferers from nothing to lear. It always ourse, and verbosity, the bubbling forth of mounting theumstism, sciatics, lame back, lumbage, counteracts any tendency of a cold to result lear moulines. in pneumonia. For sale by all chemists improbable that the sense of the electorate and store knopers.

THE ECONOMIC SITUATION OF THE WORLD.

.The year 1900, as far as industries and commerce were concerned, ended brilliantly as it had begun. The year 1907 started under no less favourable conditions. A single discordant, but very strident, note, made itself heard amid the general chorus of satisfaction. The wineaccount of wine fraudulently manufactured, and put on the market at impossible prices. The discontent assumed a tragic turn. . the months of May and June last, colossal

into riots. For a brief moment, it seemed as though the Government would have to deal with an ugly insurrection. Happily the excitement, little by little, was allayed the failure to make reparation for the or the years working the first to the Governor of Hongkong requesting The Government was not indeed able to outrage will be a constant threat to vessels \$285,797.95, on which I think we may contain the Governor to hand over the Chinese The Government was not indeed able to it: but a law was passed which protected wine-growers against watering, as well as against the competition of artificial wines. by compelling growers to declare the amount of wine harvested, by taxing sugar, and by increasing the ponulties for fraud During the many stormy discussions that occurred on this question, at the time, the

cry of over-production had often been raised. A Parliamentary Commission of Euquiry. came to the conclusion that this was not ed. The extent of land now cultivated for

the great strength of the reserves of the of the commission of a crime in Hongkong, in 1875, before the advent of phylloxera foreign companies has been thrown into and, if the Magistrate finds that the evi- although, by means of improved methods prominence by the disaster to which I dence is such that in the case of a local of culture, the yield per hecture has been prominence by the disaster of antives offence he would commit the accused for increased about 18%. The crisis began in in Japan of the native and foreign trial at the Criminal Sessions, he commits 1004, when wine fell to 10, and in some ompanies are successful in the efforts which him to good to await the further order of extreme cases, even to 5 francs per the Governor. During his trial the accus- | hectolitre - i.e., about 2 local cents the are now being made to provide a calculate ed has all the rights and privileges of a litre, wholesale, of course; not after a provided agreement there should be ed has all the rights and privileges of a litre, wholesale, of course; not after a particularly abundant; harvest, but after The depositions are then forwarded by the reduction of the duty on sugar brought with a report on the case; an interval of interesting to note that the price of tifteen days clapses during which the hectolitie of wine of the ordinary Midaccused may apply to the Supreme. Court type, in 1871, was from 32 to 35 frances for a Writ of Habens Corpus, then, if no in 1873, from 43 to 49 francs; in 1903,

> The French crops in 1907, both cereals round, indeed, the situation was one for con- competitor of the Japanese line. -Ex. gratulation but, unfortunately, the country was threatened with the consequences of the economic sins of others. The rarefaction of capital wrought by the crisis in the United States with its ensuing reduction of prices, was not without its adverse effects on French markets. Money in France is not yet very dear. The Bank of France, which possesses the largest on tells of gold in the world, was able to keep the President Roosevelt has given a staterate of discount at a level that was come injent to the press exonorating judge paratively low. It is greatly to be feared Lobbeus Wilfley from the charges brought that French products will suffer from the

resources, and whose need for gold has President says that Willey is entitled to become an urgent, if not a vital need praise for his fearless-integrity, and his This procedure has been in force since Already, one of the most promising of long battle for the climination of vice from French industries, that of automobiles, is Shanghai. quite saturated, and very many cars now.

The Government Expenditure, for 1908, is estimated at £154 millions: a sum that of trouble to balance without notably attack on him was inspired by those beaugmenting present taxation. And yet, longing to the vicious classes. there are many formidable new burdens that must, in the very near future, be seriously grappled with by the in traites invriced are calculated to need an much as £12 millions sterling; and the Income Tax (l'impôt sur le revenu) - another constant and fruitful source of acrimonious political bickering as proposed by M. Unillaux, will not yield this sum. The recently tried Sunday Rest Act [Repos heb- the Loochoos. domidaire has entailed all manner of among certain sections. Added to all this pressure has developed to the E. is the imbroglio in Merocco. There can bout shadow of a shade of doubt about the strong material claims that France has Upper Yangtze. etaked in that country of secular unrest. have been deprived of the services of Mr tion strives and the Governor issues his portionate amount of commercial interests China Sea. held by France, England and Germany. from the Colony caused his resignation In the recent case of Iu Kl Shing the respectively, for the year 1906. No later ing at 10 a.m. to-day, 0.09 inches.

ENGLAND.

The economic and social history There has been the same

in this prosperity. The Budget for 1908-7 Wing Kee & Co., ... given by the Central Government at extinguish 215 millions of the National J. R. Michael & Co., ... Peking, and that an engagement by a Debt in the same period. But the W. H. Wickham ... Provincial Viceroy was insufficient, but distastoful Income-tax still remains at a H. G. Calthrop the discharge of Iu Ki Shing was not based shilling a war-tax retained in a time Laquarius & Co., ... of piping peace. A Bill for Old Age L. Gibbs ... the House of Commons, present in force, N. Mody & Co., ... secons strongly inclined to what in France is H. M. H. Nemazoo ... tormed, State Socialism. He is also prepar- E. Pabaney ing a heavy increase in already onerous Tai Shing Paper Co. ... succession duties, as well as various not Hongkong Milling Co. unimportant agrarian reforms, Land in S. W. Tso England is not divided as it is on the Dorabjeo and Son ... Continent. The soil of France is split up Abdoola and Co. ... antong close upon five million proprietors : D. Dorabjee ... that of England amongst only 97,200, of Dr Chad. Kew ... whom 200 own between them one half of Kuhn and Kumer ... the cultivated land. It is to this latter Levy Hermanos ... extraordinary fact that mony at ribute the H. Neidhardt ... depopulation of the country, and the H. Ruttonjee ... enormous disproportion between the tivated and uncultivated parts of the land

Specially translated for the CHINA MAIL.

the position now occupied by the House of Lords in the Constitution. The issues of hye-elections are noteriously difficult of interpretation. may well be called Municipal Socialism largely practised in the British Isles. The results are not wholly happy. In a great number of instances, Municipal debts have grown to truly Gargantuan dimensions Socialism is taking root in the United Kingdom, in a working class that numerous and well-organised. For stance; at the Bath Congress, the Trade Unions hoasted that they totalled nearly two million adhering members, and an annual income of two millions sterling. fa mors loudly complained that they were Their proposals concerning the hours unable to dispose of their produce, on labour, old age and workman pensions, as well as for a progressive income-tax on impracticable. The long drawn out and desperate strugglo between the Amalgamated Society of Railway Servants and the The procedure may be summarized as open-nir mass meetings disturbed the Companies, at one stage, threatened the economic life of the nation. One of our abundance of copper coins in Peking and entire Midi, and ultimately degenerated younger statesmen then added new laurels | in order to prevent any further rise in the to his growing fame, by reconciling what price of silver, the Ministry of Finance seemed to be irreconcilable sets of demands.

Socialism is a new, and increasingly important if somewhat disquietening element coins to the Three Eastern Provinces. in English politics: Much depends upon where the financial situation is much the native ability of its leaders, nearly all depressed. of whom are practically untried men. The 19th century saw the rise of the middle classes, the 20th will witness a far mighter, and infinitely more ignificant renascencethat of the toiling masses.

when next appealed to, will be taken on

THE THEATRE.

Miss Georgie Corlass made an effective 'Runaway Girl" at the Theatre Royal last night, and the audience went away pleased with the entertainment provided. The singing and dancing of all the mombers of the company was appreciated, applause being unstintingly bestowed. Messes Dallas and Clifford were, as usual, extremely humourous, and kept the audience on good terms with themselves. Miss Lait sang charmingly and was well supported by the chorus. To-night and to-morrow night Miss Hook of Holland will be staged and full houses are anticipated, the booking being heavy.

THE FAKUMEN RAILWAY.

Torro, March 5. Japan has not yet received any com- berlain's Cough Remedy and no time will and wine, were above the average manu- munication from the British contractors be lost, whether the cold is slight or factures and commerce kept up the for the Heinmintun-Fakumen railway to severe. For sale by all chemists and advances made in the preceding years. All prove that it is a feeder and not a storekeepers.

JUDGE WILFLEY.

Exonerated at Washington.

WASHINGTON, March 3. general lowering of prices that has taken by Lorrin Andrews, F. M. Brooks and place in countries that have exceeded their others of Shanghai. In his statement the

tion, the wealthy-buying market has been exonerated Judge Wilfley from the charges brought against him, saying that he had cleared he name of America in Shanghai from the stigma of vice.

President Roosevelt also approves

WEATHER REPORT. The following notice is issued by M1 Figg of the Hongkong Observatory On the 10th at 11.55 a.—The barometer has risen over E. Japan and S.W. China, and fallen over N. China, S.W. Japan and

A depression is moving Eastwards over inconvenience, and is highly unpopular S. Manchuria, and a second area of low The high pressure area remains over the

Strong N. winds will prevail in the

Hongkong Rainfall for the 24 hours end Forecast for the 24 hours ending at noon

FORECAST DISTRICT. 1.-Hongkong and Neighbourhood N. winds, fresh ; dull, cloudy. 2.—Formosa Channel: N. winds, strong. 3.—South coast of China between Hongkong and Lamocks: Same as No. 1. 4.—South coast of China between Hongkong and Hainan : Same as No. 2.

The Hon. Trensurer of the Alico Memorial and Affiliated Hospitals begs to acknowledge with thanks the following 31; Queen's Road Central. had been void ab initio and discharged the value of foreign trade reached figures donations to the funds of the Hospitals:-

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COMMERCIAL.

The P. and O. Co.'s steamer Pera, which left London on February 3, carries silver coin for Singapore to the value of £43,312.

Shung Kung Po is making arrangments for the establishment of an ironworks in Chihli Province, similar to that in Hupek, says a telegram to the "Chinese Mail" from Peking yesterday.

A Peking wire to the "Chinese Mail under date of the 9th instant states that the Chinese Government is discussing the incomes over £300, were drastic, and not advisability of opening Kong-Ching-po to

> It is reported that, owing to the intends to transport a large quantity of

GEO. FENWICK & CO.

The following is the report for presentation at the annual meeting on March 14:-The Directors have now to submit to the Shareholders a Statement of Accounts for the year ending 31st December, 1907. The Balance at Credit of Profit and Loss

Account amounts to the sum of \$3,876.91 After payment of Auditor's fees a Balance of \$3,726.91 remains, which it is proposed to carry forward to new account. DIRECTORS-Mr G. K. Haxton was invited to join the Board during theabsence on leave of Mr W. Parlane. The latter has now resigned in view of his early departure for home. Mr. Haxton retires in accordance with the Articles of Association, but offers himself for re-election. Auptron-The accounts have been

audited by Mr H. Percy Smith, who offers himself for re-election. A. RODGER.

Hongkong, 3rd March, 1908.

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Godowns at Kowloon, where each consign-

ment will be sorted out Mark by Mark and

delivery can be obtained as soon as the

From Persian Gulf, ex B. I. S. N. and

Optional goods will be landed here unless

instructions are given to the contrary

Goods not cleared by the 11th inst., at

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Damaged Packages must be left in the Godowns for examination by the Consignee's and the Company's representative

at an appointed hour. All Claims must be presented within ton days of the steamer's

arrival here, after which date they cannot be recognised. No Claims will be ad-

mitted after the Goods have left the

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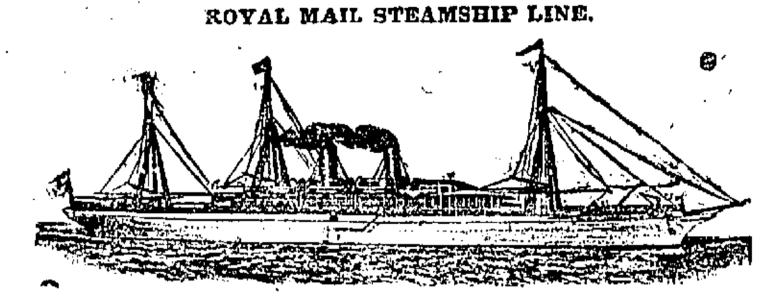
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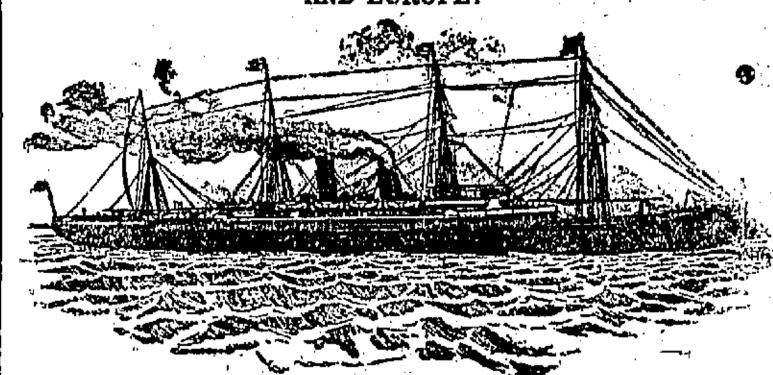
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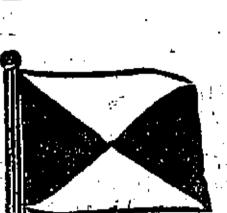
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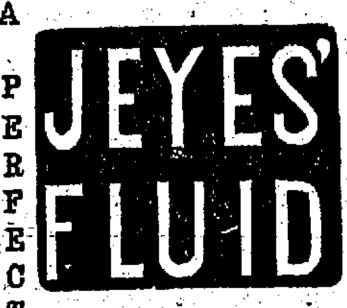
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ASSASSINATION OF THE KING AND CROWN PRINCE OF PORTUGAL.

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A terrible crime was committed in Lisbo n on Saturday afternoon, Feb. 1. The King and Queen, with the Crown Prince and Prince Manuel, were driving in an open carriage through the streets on their way from Villa Vicosa to the Palace, when young man armed with a revolver jump ed up behind the carriage and fired at the 882 King, wounding him in the side. The Queen rose in the carriage, and struck at the assassin with a houquet she was carry ing, but he fired again and wounded the King in the back. His Majosty fell back in a state of collapse. Several persons threw themselves on the murderer, who fell to the ground and was shot dead as he lay. Meantime another man, armed with a carbine, stopped forward and fired straight at the Crown Prince, who received two wounds. This assessin was also struck down by the sword of a military officer. The Royal carriage cwas driven into the Marine Arsenal, when it was found that the King was already dead, while the Crown Prince only survived a few minutes. The Infanto Manuel was also wounded, but not severely. Another of the band of assassins (who were Portuguese) was killed. The Queen was overcome with grief and horror. During the night the imfortunate lady, who displayed splendid heroism during the attack. remained seated between the bodies of her husband and son, with a hand on the face

The possibility of a revolutionary outbreak, or of widespread disturbances. could not fail to suggest itself when the news of the outrage was first received. We may now, perhaps, begin to believe that these apprehensions will not be fulfilled and that the detestable crimo has, like most deeds of violence, de feated its object and strengthened the affection and regard of the nation for its existing Constitution. The telegrams from Lisbon, show that order reigns both in the capital and in the rest of the kingdom. The Infante Manuel, who is only 18 years of age, has succeeded to the throne. with the title of Don Maunel H., and announces in a proclamation that he will govern the country according to the CON. Constitution. A new Ministry, formed AND under Vice-Admiral Forreira de Amaral by a coalition of the Monarchist parties, has been organised, and the authorities should G. H. C. WESTON, B.N.R., carrying His be well prepared to cope with any move population might be tempted to make. The first act of the new Cabinet has been | Chicken, -Kai Chai ... to issue a decree conceding a general Capons, Large, Small, -Sin amnesty for political offences, and abolish ing dictatorial edicts. All the political prisoners are to be set at liberty, and

newspapers suspended by the order of the Franco Cabinet will reappear. It seems now to be agreed that the crime was the work of the revolutionary party. but it is not certain whether the whole party must be held responsible, or whether a small section acted without the knowledge and approval of their fellows. The lender of the Republicans has reiterated his desire to attain his goal by peaceful

methods. The responsibility for the murders is attributed to the arbitrary policy and measures of the late Premier, but how far this regime was justified must now for ever remain a matter of speculation. The need for drastic reforms in the system of government in Portugal was recognised by all impartial witnesses, and Senhor Franco did not attempt to govern without the co-operation of the Cortes, till he found that persistent obstruction rendered all progress impossible. The ex Premier has now left the country, and gone to Madrid. It is said that his sympathy has been spurned by the Queen, and his

fall is complete. The new boy-King is of medium height, Bream, -Bin Yu vory much like his father, with a bright, intelligent face. It was originally intended that he should enter the the Navy, for which he has been educated, and, while he has not travelled abroad, it is understood that he speaks several foreign languages and has a very good knowledge, for his age, of public affairs. His health is Cuttle Fish, Muk Yo understood to be good, as his training has Dab, -Sa Mang Yu been unusually careful and austere. his first Council of State he made 1024 touching little speech to his Ministers "Fam," he said, "without knowledge of

experience. I place myself in your hands, counting upon your patriotism and wisdom. Arrangements are now being made for the Brogs, Tien Kal funeral to-morrow of the murdered Monarch and his son, which will be attended his Prince Arthur of Connaught on behalf

ed everywhere in this country and in Europe Labrus. Wong Fa Yu with feelings of horror and indignation. Labrus. The King and Queen, who have been on Losch, Wu Yu terms of close and intimate friendship with the Portuguese Royal House, were Lobsters, -- Long Ha profoundly affected by the news, and have cancelled their projected visits to Denmark and Norway. Court mourning for a month Monk Fish,—Mong X: has been ordered. Their Majesties tolegraphed their condolences to Queen while resolutions of sympathy have been

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remaining undelivered after the 16th of March 6. March, will be subject to rent. All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods Captain G. Bortole, will leave for the above are to be left in the Godowns, where they was in the Straits Settlements when last places on WEDNESDAY, the 18th inst, will be examined on the 16th of March, at mail left-about March 1. 9.30 A.M. This steamer has capital accommodation! All Claim mat reach us before the 20th

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The N. D. L. Prinzess Alice will bertin at No. 3 wharf, Kowloon, on arrival

GENERAL. Mr James Gordon Bennett's Yacht goods have left the Godowns, and all goods Lysistrata was expected at Manila about

The Earl of Crawford's Yacht Valhalla

The Trement, with a general cargo from Seattle, came in this morning. She brought 46 European passengers.

The German steamer Goebon reached port from Yokohama to-day with a long list of passengers. The voyage was uneventful.

The Hongkong Maru (Capt. E. Bent)

with a general cargo and a number of passongers. The Fooksang from Calcutta, via Singapore, reports line weather throughout the

voyage. A strong N.E. breeze was ex-

arrived from San Francisco this morning

perienced to the south of Gap Rock. The steamer Mincoln, which called hare last week with a party of tourists on board. was spoken of in Manila as possibly wrecked. The agents there had not heard of her since her departure from Colombo.

The officers of the Hongkong Maru, which arrived to-day from San Francisco, are as follow : E. Bent, Commander A. Totaka, Chief Officer; G. Ishii, Chief Engineer; W. A. Chapman, Pursar; H. D. (Supplementary Mall on board up to the Hawkhurst, M.D., Surgeon; A. S. Edwards, Freight Clerk; B. Lundholm, Pilot.

STRAMERS PASSED SURZ CANAL. SUPPLIED BY REUTER . February 4, Peleus, Feb. 11, Ceylon, Reiss.

Feb. 14. Jason, Stawentritz. February 18, Benvenue, Hudson, Suevia, Pera, St Nicholas, Korner, Helens Rick-Beb. 21. Aragonia, Albenga, Glenavon,

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Maru, Prinz Heinrich STEAMER MOVEMENTS.

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he Imp. German Mail s.s. Princesa Alice with the GERMAN MAIL of the 11th Fobruary, left Singapore on Friday the 6th March, at 11 s.m., and may be expected here on or about Tuesday, the 10 h March, at 11 a m. The M. M. Co.'s steamer Tourane with the FRENCH MAIL of the 14th Feb.

and the supplementary mails from London of the 15th February, lef Singapore on Monday, the 9th March, at 5 p.m., and may be expected here on or about Monday, the '16th March and will leave on Monday afternoon, for Shanghai and Japan. This packet brings replies to letters despatched from Hongkong on the 11th January. The C P. R. Co.'s s.s. Monteagle left Van conver on Thursday afternoon, the 5th March for Hongkong, via the usual Ports of Call.

Expected. The N. Y. K. s.s. Totomi Maru (Bombay Line) left Singapore for this port on on the 11th March.

the 2nd March, and is expected here The P. & A. S. S. Co.'s s.s. Nicomedia arrived in Yokohama from Astoria on Monday, March 2nd, between 8 and 10 a.m., and is due to arrive at this Mrs W. H. Bean

port on March 14th. The N. Y. K. s.e. Nikko Maru (Australian Line) left Thursday Island for this Mr & Mrs S. Bisney General Larnac port via Manila on the 5th March, and | Miss S. Bisney is expected here on the 16th March. The N. Y. K. s.s Sanuki Maru (European Line) left Kobe for this port via Moji Mr F. Bonnet and Shanghai on the 7th March, and is expected here on the 16 h March.

The N. Y. K. s.s. Yeterofu Maru (Bom- Mr T. Brayfield bay Line) left Bombay for this port via Colombo and Singapore on the 2nd Mr G. L. Brighton Mr & Mrs W. Mertener March, and is expected here on the Mr J. Brockman Mr and Mrs Naht 22nd March. The Indo-China S. N. Co.'s s.g. Kumsang from Calcutta and the Straits left Singapore for this port on the 6th

March, at 3 p.m. The Glen Line s.s. Glenturret from London, left Singapore on Thursday evening, the oth Marc's. The E. & A. steamer Empire left Sydney for this port on "4th March, via Queersland Ports and Manila. The Ind .. China S. N. Co.'s s.s. Fooksang from Calcutta and the Straits, left Singapore for this port on the 3rd

March, p.m. Line steamer Chazes Liverpool on the 16th February. The Boston S. S. Co.'s s.s. Kumeric left Yokohama for Pacific Coast on the 27th February. Latest Advices.

The L. C. S. N. Co's s.s. Fooshing left Wuhn for Canton on 7th March, and may be expected here on or about 11th Sh nghai, Messra V Bonicel'i. F. W. The Austrian Lloyd's s.s. Persia left Singapore for this port on the 9th March, and is expected here on the 15th March. The H. A. L. s.e. Brasilia left Shanghai on the 10th March, and may be expacted here on the 13th March, at

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Per Nubia, at 9 a.m., on Wednesiay, the 11th March. For DURBAN. Per Courtfield, at 10 a.m., on Wednesday, the 11th Mar. For SHANGHAL-

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MAILS BY THE GERMAN PACKET.— The German Contract Packet Gorden will be despatched on WEDNES- Mr Grover DAY, the 11th Mar., with Mails for Mr.R. Herzog the United Kingdom, the Continent of Wr and Mrs Hewett Mr Stanford Europe and countries beyond, vid Miss Hoyden Brindisi : to the Straits Settlements, Mis Hill Batavia, Burmah, Ceylon, India, (via Miss Hunter Tuticoriu), Aden, Egypt, Malta, &c., Mr. and Mrs. J

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Australian Porta	Aldenham (e)	Jibb, Livingston & Co.	Mar Of at Mann
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Finme, Trieste, &c	Vorwaerts (a)	Sander. Wieler & Co.	March 15 am
Kobe and Yokohama	Kemakura Maruj(s)	Nippon Yusen Kaisha,	Mar. 21. Davlight
Kobe and Yokobama	Prinz Waldemar (6)	Melchers & Co	About April 3.
L'don, A'erp & H'burg	Monmouthshire (s)	Shewan, Tomes & Co.	About Mar. 31.
	Glenloohy (8)	McGregor Bron. & Gow	About Mar. 25
London, &c	Marmora (8)	P. & O. S. N. Co	War. 21, at Noon.
Mar., L'don, A'orn, &c.	Nubia (8)	IP. & O. S. N/Co	Mar. 11. at 10 a.m.
Manile	Loongsang (8)	Jardine, 😽 sun& Co. L	Mar 13. at 4 n.m.
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l Manila 🔭	Taming (8)	Batterlield & Swiro	Mar. 17, at 4 n.m.
Manlla	Tean (a)	dButterfield & Symo	Mar. 24, at 4 p.m.
Manila, A'lian Ports.	Tainan (a)	Buttoriiold & Swire	Mar. 14. at 4 p.m.
Manila, A'lian Ports	Yawata Maru (8)	. Nippon Yusan Kaisha	Mar. 20; at Noon.
blanila, A'lian l'orta	Manila (8)	Melchora & Co	Mar. 26, at noon.
Marseilles, v. Salgon.	Ponkin (s)	Messagories Maritime	Mar. 17, at 1 p.m.
Mar., L'don&A'erp&c	Sanuki Maru (8)	Nippon Yuson Kaisha	Mar. 18. Daylight.
NewYork v.SuezUana	St. Patrick (8)	Shewan, Tomes & Co	About Mrrch 16,
N'saki, Kobe & Y'nami	Nikko Maru (b)	Hippon Yusan Kusha	Mar. 18, at Noon.
Newchwang		. Butterfield & Swire	Mar, 14, at 4 p.m.
Can Prancisco V. Japan	Hongkong Maru (s)	Toyo Kisen Kaisha	Mar. 20, at Noon.
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San Francisco v. Japan	Siberia (s)		APPH 18, Rt Noon.
	n Minnosota (8)	Pacific Mail 5.S. Co., Nippon Yasen Kaisha	April 20, 80 Moch.
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S'hal, N'ki, Kobe, Y'm	a Printess Alice (s)	Melohere & Co	Shout May 11
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Shanghai	Yochow (8)	Butterfield & Swire	Mar. 17. at 4 p.m.
Shanghal] Hangchow [8]	Batterfield & Swire .	Mar. 12, at 4 p.m.
Shanghai	. Luchow (8)	Butterfield & Swire	Mar. 14. at 4 p.m
Shanghal	Malta (a)	P. & O. S. N. Co	About Mar. 20.
S'hai, Kobe & Y'ham	n Persia (8)	Sander. Wieler & Co	
	e Totomi Maru (8)	Nippon Yusen Kaishs	March 12.
	n Ceylan (a)		8 About Mar. 17.
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SHARE LIST.—QUOTATIONS. March 10, 1978.						
Stocks.	No. of Shares.	Value.	Paid up.	Olosing Guoratio Oash.		
PANKS. Hongkong and Shanghai Bank Corp.	120,000	9 125	all	(\$695, sellers £75.10		
National Bank of China, Limited	99,925	l	£ 6	\$51		
MARINE INSURANCES.	10,030		ຣິ ຄາ	8240, sellera \$91, buyers		
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hina Sugar Company, Limited	20,000	3 ~ 100	All	\$112, sellers		
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GAND AND BUILDING.						
longkong Land Investment and Agency Company, Limited	50,000	8 100	100	\$101, sellers		
hanghai Land Investment Co.	78,000	Tla. 50	Tlá,50	Tls. 103		
Kowloon Land and Building Com-	6,000	\$ 60	30	327, sellers		
Vei-hai-wei Land & Building Co	3,674 150,000		Tls.25			
West Point Building Co., Limited	12,500	\$ 50		\$10), sellers \$48, buyers		
TRAMWAYS. The Peak Tramways Co., Ltd	25,000 50,000	\$ 10 \$ 10	3 8 1	\$13 \$2		
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